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## **dwp | design worldwide partnership creates one of UK's Sunday Times '50 Greatest Bars on Earth' in Bangkok**

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*dwp | design worldwide partnership recently saw inclusion of their design for Bangkok's Sirocco Restaurant & Skybar included among The Sunday Times UK's '50 Greatest Bars on Earth'.*

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World-class architecture and interior design firm **dwp** | design worldwide partnership created the design for now world-famous Sirocco Restaurant & Skybar, Bangkok, Thailand, which starred in the Hollywood-blockbuster film 'Hangover II'. Sirocco Skybar was recently featured in the UK's Sunday Times' review on the world's best bars, having also previously been featured in their 'Weekly Bar Review' (2011) and 'Where the world's best chefs go to eat' (2009).



Bangkok's most innovative dining experience is still the 500sqm international award-winning Sirocco Restaurant, within the Dome at State Tower. **dwp** group CEO Brenton Mauriello notes: "We designed the restaurant to appear to elegantly float in the sky, with the Skybar apparently jutting out into space." The bar glows from an alternating lighting effect, revealing warm oranges, blues and greens through to a rich red. Behind the restaurant is the golden dome, which provides a stunning backdrop for the resident jazz musicians. The restaurant also features Spanish style steps, railed terraces, waterfall effects and, amazingly, air-conditioning to cool the outdoor dining experience. Located on the 63rd floor of the State Tower, the 360° views across the Bangkok skyline are breathtaking. Finishes include sandstone, timber veneers, gold leaf and Thai silks, creating a rich and stylish décor. The lighting design is integrated to match the overall stylish concept, allowing mood-change from day through to sunset and nighttime.



Its timelessly sophisticated design, having been completed in mid-2004, is still a chart-topper on many a world's favourite list. Following on from its instant success, dwp has continued to design many a rooftop bar throughout Asia and the Middle East, and has recently completed the much-anticipated Hilton Pattaya rooftop bar, Horizon.

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